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FDOT to Host State Road (SR) 90/SW 8 Street/Tamiami Trail Design Project Public Hearing

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MIAMI, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will host a hearing, both in-person and virtually, for a roadway design project along SR 90/SW 8 Street/Tamiami Trail from Beacom Boulevard to SW 2 Avenue, starting at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, December 12, 2023.

In-Person Public Hearing will be held at:

Miami-Dade College Eduardo J. Padron Campus, Room 201, 701 SW 27 Avenue, Miami, FL 33135. Click <u>here</u> to register.

To attend the Virtual Public Hearing online:

Visit thelink: https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/1752306409567061077
Participants can also call in by dialing +1 (562) 247-8422; Access code: 694-824-166

The proposed improvements include: improving drainage between SW 21 Avenue and SW 17 Avenue; providing a dedicated left turn lane from eastbound SW 8 Street to northbound SW 2 Avenue, which requires removing 11 parking spaces; updating traffic signals at the intersections of SW 4 Avenue, SW 3 Avenue and SW 2 Avenue; repaving and restriping the road; removing landscape, and enhancing curb ramps, pedestrian signalization and signage.

Construction is scheduled to start in the fall of 2024 and last about a year. The estimated construction cost for this project is \$4.4 million.

The hearing will consist of a formal presentation followed by an open discussion. Staff will be available to answer questions in the order they are received and as time permits. If your question is not responded to during the hearing, a response will be provided in writing afterwards.

For more information about the hearing or project, please contact the FDOT Public Information Office at (305) 470-5349 or Community Outreach Specialist at (305) 470-5477 or via email at Rodolfo.Roman@dot.state.fl.us.

FDOT encourages public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. Persons who need special assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 or who need translation services (free of charge)

should contact Tish Burgher at (305) 470-5277 or in writing at FDOT, 1000 NW 111 Avenue, Miami, FL 33172 or by email at: <u>Tish.Burgher@dot.state.fl.us</u> at least seven (7) days prior to the hearing.

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